

REMARKS**Status of the Claims**

Claims 1, 5, and 7 are currently presented in the Application, and claim 1 is an independent claim. Claims 1, 5, and 7 stand allowed. This Amendment is submitted to request cancellation of claims 8, 12, 14, 18, and 20. Applicants respectfully reserve the right to pursue these canceled claims, and other claims, in one or more continuation and/or divisional patent applications.

Respectfully submitted,

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